

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

LOIS WEBER'S GREAT "DISCOVERY"

Mary MacLaren who is the star in "Shoes," the intensely vital Bluebird play...

Lois Weber, who prepared the scenario of "Shoes" from the story by Stella Wynne Herron...

What matters if the shop-girl's shoes are worn to tatters, that pastebored shoes are required to keep her feet from picking up splinters...

When she comes home with the shoes on her feet, her mother follows the downcast eyes of her oldest child...

"THE SEQUEL TO THE DIAMOND FROM THE SKY," A PICTURE OF REAL INTEREST

Thousands of St. John movie fans have been waiting for the sequel to the famous serial—"The Diamond from the Sky"...

"ROMEO AND JULIET" A DREAM COME TRUE

It is the greatest ambition of every real actor and actress to essay the roles of Romeo and Juliet...

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DEATHS

IN MEMORIAM

HEENAN—In loving memory of Harry F. Heenan...

Rubber Clothing For All The Family. ESTEY & CO., 49 Dock St.

that the matter was seriously considered. Then the brainiest and most expert men in the profession were called together...

MONDAY AT THE IMPERIAL

Edna Goodrich, famed throughout filmdom as one of the most handsome women in the profession...

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ALL NEW TONIGHT AT GEM

It's an all-new programme at the Gem tonight, bright vaudeville and an outstanding Master picture...

PERSONALS

The condition of Frank C. Smith in the St. John Infirmary remains about the same...

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Clark and baby Marion have returned home after spending a few days of the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams...

ANDERSON—On December 9, at his mother's residence, 292 Millidge avenue, Peter W. Anderson, aged thirty-one years...

WANNER—In Dorchester, Mass., on Dec. 6, Abbie Gough, wife of George C. Wauzer, twenty-six years.

HEENAN—In loving memory of Harry F. Heenan, who died December 9th, 1909.

BABY will grow FASTER on KENT FLOUR

LOCAL NEWS

Xmas. novelties, silk and crepe waists, neckwear, houndie caps, etc., beautifully boxed—Manson's, 31 Charlotte street. Open evenings. 8-11.

Christmas, 1916, Duval's, Wakeford. You know! 12-16

Jones Electric Co. will be open this evening, 5 Colburn street.

Photographs—up to the minute in style and quality—\$2.50 to \$15 dozen—Lugin Studio, 38 Charlotte street.

Christmas shoppers. Buy all you want at money saving prices at Bassett's. Monday, Reliable Sale, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

Come to the band supper in Zion church Tuesday evening, Dec. 12, 12-12.

Hurry along. Only a few days left to sit for those Christmas photos—The Conlon Studio, 101 King.

MEN'S WORKING SHIRTS. In grey and blue flannel and many other styles. Price 50c. to \$2.00—King the Hatter, Union street.

A NEW WATCHMAN. He bought his watch from Poyas & Co., King Square (near Imperial Theatre), and was satisfied in quality and price. 8-11

Do all your shopping at Bassett's. Monday, Reliable Sale, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

CHARLOTTE ST. CHURCH. Charlotte street United Baptist church, 11 a.m., Rev. D. J. MacPherson; 7 p.m., the pastor will speak on "The Billy Sunday Campaign."

GIFT GOODS AT AMPUR'S. Ties, handkerchiefs, scarves, fancy aprons, gloves, silk waists, in a great variety to suit all tastes and all purses. Let our clerks help you choose your gifts, 259 King street, West. 12-11

USEFUL AND SUITABLE. Your wife needs a new suit, she needs a new coat—why not make a present of one or both this Christmas? The best ladies' tailor in St. John is John Glick, 106 King street. Prices reasonable. 12-12

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY. Roast beef, 12c. lb.; corned beef, 8c. lb.; fresh pork, 20c. lb.; mutton chops, 18c. lb.; steak, 20c. and 22c. lb.—Doyle's Cash Market, 153 and 269 Brussels street.—Phone 381-1. 12-12

Bargains for everyone at Bassett's. Monday, Reliable Sale, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

TEMPERANCE HALL. Come and hear A. H. Stuart preach the gospel in Temperance Hall, St. James street, between Sydney and Carmarthen, tonight and Friday at 8 o'clock. Sunday night at 8.15. Everybody welcome. No collections. 12-11

IT'S OIL NOW. Oil has advanced twice this week. We are still selling five gallons for 90c. New raisins, two pounds for 25c.; Cal. Currants, 18c.; mixed pec, 27c.; 2 bottles extract, 25c.; choice Delaware potatoes, 85c. peck. Orders delivered to city and East St. John.—J. A. Lipsett, "The Blue Store," corner Brussels and Exmouth streets. 12-11

Special sale of men's pants tonight from 7 to 11—At Corbin's, 194 Union street.

Have your picture copied on a brooch or pillow top at the St. John Picture Store, corner Brussels and Exmouth. T. F.

"NEW TWO FLAT HOUSE FOR SALE." Strictly first class. Present rentals will pay for it. Buy before all materials advanced. An excellent house bargain.—Fenton Land and Building Company, office Robinson Building. 12-9-1916

PATRIOTIC CAUSES

The Grand Fleet. Lady Gwendolen Guinness who will visit John with her husband, capt. the Hon. Rupert Guinness, next week, will address a meeting of the Women's Canadian Club on Saturday evening on "The Grand Fleet."

Sailors' Relief Fund. All friends still holding collecting cards for the British Sailors' Relief Fund are asked to hand them in during the coming week, either at the Canadian Bank of Commerce, King street, or to Mrs. L. P. D. Tilly, at the Women's Canadian Club on Saturday evening on "The Grand Fleet."

Around the World Drawing. On next Monday night the drawing for the free trip round the world or \$600 in gold will take place in the Imperial Theatre. This great prize, along with fifty-three others is being given away by the City Council, and the net proceeds are to be donated to the Patriotic Fund.

Rivers Defeated. Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 9.—Richie Mitchell, a Milwaukee lightweight, defeated Joe Rivers of California in a ten round bout last night. Rivers was floored for a count of six in the fourth round.

WOMEN WITH WEAKNESS FIND NEW STRENGTH. For all special weakness from which girls and women suffer, no surer remedy exists than Dr. Hamilton's Pills; they maintain the bracing health every woman so earnestly desires, they uproot disease and bring strength that lasts till old age.

THE ROYAL PHARMACY. 47 King Street. ESTABLISHED 1894

Eye Strain is not a disease, but an overworked condition of the eyes.

There is an instinctive desire to close and compress the lids.

In reading and near work the eyes feel fatigued and the letters become blurred and seem to run together.

The symptoms of eye-strain should be heeded.

D. BOYANER. TWO STORES: 38 Dock Street, 351 Charlotte Street.

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

RINGS, BROOCHES, LaVALLIERES-- This is a Jewellery Christmas

The well dressed woman will give gifts of jewelry a warmer welcome than ever before this Christmas.

Gift selections will be held for you, on payment of a small deposit, if you wish.

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DOLL CARRIAGES. Select Yours Now And We Will Deliver Christmas Eve. Dolls Perambulator, strong wood body leatherette hood, all steel gear and rubber tires wheels. \$2.95

J. MARCUS 30 Dock Street. Store Open Evenings. Look For the Electric Sign

POLICE COURT. In the police court this morning Magistrate Ritchie committed for trial Charles McKay, on the charge of theft of liquor from the cargo of the Messanable, George Mainor said he was an examiner and checker engaged by the C. P. R. at West St. John. His attention was called on Tuesday to a case of liquor that came off the ship. It was broken open and nine of twelve bottles of brandy were missing.

WOMAN'S EXCHANGE LIBRARY BOOKS. You only read them once! Save money and rent the Book you want when you want it, only twenty cents a day. Some of our newest—"Flash" (Rinchart); "Short Cut" (Gregory); "Winged Victory" (Grand); "Paradise Garden" (Gibbs); "Leopard Woman" (White); "Rising Tide" (DeLand); "Slaves of Freedom" (Davson); "Nobody's Boy" (Malou); "World for Sale" (Parker); "Mark of the Beast" (Kauffman); "Man of the Moment" (Glyn); "Eyes of the World" (Wright), etc., etc.

PATRIOTIC FUND. Monthly—G. Ernest Fairweather, \$5; R. E. Armstrong, \$5; Alex. Nodden, \$2; James Ennis, \$2; Ward C. Hasen, \$2 (mos.); H. B. Hetherington, Can. Immigration office, Ellis Island, New York, \$5; Mrs. John Horn (6 mos.), \$12; H. Golding, \$1; Amland Bros., \$5; Smith's Fish Store, \$3; H. N. D. Miller, \$1; E. C. Darnford (3 mos.), \$3; From. Co., \$5; Stanley G. Olive, \$5.

RETURNED SOLDIER JOINS POLICE FORCE. Walter Coughlan, a returned soldier, was sworn in as a member of the local police force this morning by Magistrate Ritchie. He stands about 5 feet 11 inches, and would weigh in the vicinity of 200 pounds. This is the first returned soldier to secure a position on the police department.

ABATTOIR FOR HALIFAX. Halifax Herald.—Another step was made by the controllers yesterday in the matter of providing an abattoir. The city engineer and Engineer Barrett appeared before the controllers with plans of the abattoir, and Engineer Barrett was instructed to make the plans more complete, and report. The original plans submitted called for a building costing about \$50,000. The city is not prepared to spend this amount. Only about \$25,000 has been figured upon for the building for this work. The proposed plans call for a building to cost in the vicinity of \$84,000, and these plans, when completed, may be accepted.

AGED JESUIT DEAD. Macon, Ga., Dec. 9.—Rev. T. W. Butler, 88 years old, said to be the oldest Jesuit in the south, died at St. Stanislaus college today. He had been a member of the Society of Jesus for seventy years.

SNAP for the Business Girl. When she puts a ribbon on the typewriter—orgives the machine a thorough cleaning—then she washes-up with SNAP. This famous hand-cleaner instantly removes ink or carbon stains. Every office should have a tin of SNAP—15c. at all Dealers.

VENO'S WON THE FRENCH PRIZE
For the Cure of
COUGHS & BRONCHIAL TROUBLES

For the Cure of
The hall-mark of scientific approval was conferred upon Veno's Lightning Cough Cure when it won the Grand Prix and Gold Medal at the International Health Exhibition, Paris, 1910; the approval of the public is expressed in a reputation wide as the British Empire. Veno's has the largest sale of its class in the world. It is made in Great Britain by British skill, financed by British capital, and sold wherever the British flag flies. Prices 80 cents and 60 cents, from druggists and stores throughout Canada.

BOMBS ARE RAPIDLY REPLACING RIFLES

Only Sure Method of Clearing Trench, Says Canadian Officer—One Man Carries 16

London, Dec. 9.—Canadian officers recently returned from the front remark generally on the development of bombing operations. One even declares the rifle stands a fair chance of becoming obsolete. Bombing is the only sure method of clearing a trench. "Give me a live

What's in a name?

Ask the cooks who use

PURITY FLOUR



"MORE BREAD" AND BETTER BREAD"

party with full aprons," he said, "and I will go anywhere. One man will carry as many as sixteen bombs, and they can accomplish much in wonderful time. "Early in the war we lost many men because the Boche was so deep in the dugout, but he is up to our methods of bombing him out, so he does not hide low down as formerly."

Master Robert is a sensitive youth of four summers. His mother recently was discussing a surgical operation during the dinner hour, her visitor being a hospital nurse. Robert sat all unobserved, but quite unable to proceed with his dinner. Suddenly he struck in:—"I don't think this is pudding talk, mother, dear." The conversation dropped.

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In case of severe toothache, rush your patent to one of our offices where instant relief may be obtained.

We do work painlessly and well.

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For Christmas Gifts

What is more appreciated than a photograph? Look over your negatives and have the pictures of your children and of the vacation trip printed, then mount them in some of our very attractive

GREETING CARD MOUNTS..... 10c, 13c, 15c, each
CALENDAR MOUNTS (5 sizes)..... 10c, 12c, and 15c.
SNAP SHOT ALBUMS..... 15c, 25c, 50c, 70c.

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Always on Somebody's List



Here Are Some Extra Values:
29 cents

Solid Back, Stiff, Imitation Ebony—Good for boy or girl.
Genuine Ebony Brushes, 75c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and up.
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VACUUM BOTTLES
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Leatherette case. Equal in appearance and quality to other bottles at \$2.50.
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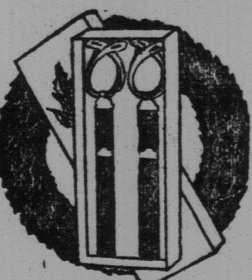
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- Men's Armlets, Garters and Braces (Boxed), 75c. and \$1.00 set
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- Men's Armlets and Garters (Boxed)..... 50c. set
- Men's Fancy Braces (Boxed)..... 25c. to 75c. pair
- Men's Beautiful Silk Ties (Boxed)..... 25c. to \$1.00
- Men's Silk Knitted Mufflers..... 50c. to \$2.50
- Men's Fancy Shirts, newest patterns..... \$1.00 to \$1.75
- Men's Sweater Coats..... 75c. to \$5.00

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THE Diamond, like no other form of gift, never deteriorates through age or wear, neither does its brilliancy fade. In addition to this, from the moment it leaves the hands of the cutter as a finished product, The Birks Diamond has a fixed and guaranteed cash value, which is part of the condition of sale.

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- 11 1/2 lbs. Granulated Sugar..... \$1.00
- Red Clover Salmon..... 1/2 lb. tin, 15c.
- Large tin Pineapple, 7/8, 2 for 35c
- Good Cooking Apples..... 25c peck
- Home Made Chow Chow and Mustard Pickles..... 25c bottle
- 1 can B. C. Salmon..... 12c, 2 for 23c.
- 50c Lipton's Tea..... 45c
- 40c Lipton's Tea..... 35c
- Large Gold or Surprise Soap..... 25c
- 6 cakes Happy Home Soap..... 25c
- Jersey Cream Baking Powder..... 23c
- 3 pkgs. Jelly..... 25c
- 3 bottles Lemon or Vanilla Extract..... 25c
- 3 pkgs. Tapioca..... 25c
- 3 pkgs. Cornstarch..... 25c

Specials AT Robertson's

E. Roy Robertson
599 Main St.
Phone 2577.

- 11 1/2 lbs. Finest Granulated Sugar, \$1
- 10 lb. bag Lard Sugar..... 35c.
- 3 lbs. Pulverized Sugar..... 30c.
- New Seeded Raisins..... 12c. pkge.
- New Cleaned Currants..... 15c. pkge.
- 2 pkgs. Dromedary Dates..... 25c.
- Fancy New Figs..... 20c. lb.
- Shelled Walnuts..... 50c. lb.
- Mixed Peas..... 25c. lb.
- Tomatoes..... 15c. tin
- Corn..... 14c. tin
- Peas..... 12c. tin
- Clams..... 10c. tin
- Peaches, large tin..... 20c.
- 3 lbs. Lipton's 40c. Tea for..... \$1.00
- 5 lbs. Oatmeal..... 25c.
- 4 lbs. New Buckwheat..... 25c.
- 24 lb. bag Purity Flour..... \$1.45
- 24 lb. bag Royal Household..... \$1.40
- Surprise, Gold or Fairy Soap..... 25c.
- 3 lbs. Mixed Starch..... 25c.

SHIPPING

ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, DEC 9.

A.M. P.M.
High Tide..... 11.17 Low Tide..... 5.82
Sun Rises..... 7.58 Sun Sets..... 4.37
Time used is Atlantic standard.

PORT OF ST JOHN

Sailed Yesterday
Schr Percy B Tower, from Moncton for Barbados.
Schr Lydia H Roper, Berryman, New York.
Schr Pachaset, New York.
Schr Freden, 142, Christiansen, Lisbon.

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- 24 lb. bag Star Flour..... \$1.35
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- 24 lb. bag Royal Household Flour..... \$1.40
- 24 1/2 lb. bag Royal Flour..... \$1.40
- Choice Seeded Raisins, pkgs..... 12c
- New Cleaned Currants, pkg..... 18c
- New Mixed Peas, lb..... 25c
- 4 pkgs Bee Jelly Powder..... 22c
- 1 lb. tin Bee Baking Powder..... 21c
- New Fancy Figs, 3 pkgs. for..... 25c
- 3 bottles Extracts for..... 25c
- 3 pkgs. Tapioca..... 25c
- Regular 40c tea for..... 35c
- 2 cans good Salmon..... 25c
- Graveston Apples, 20c, 25c and 35c
- Pure Silver Leaf Lard, lb..... 22c
- Flake White Lard, lb..... 25c
- Quaker, Purity and Robin Hood Rolled Oats..... 22c pkge.
- 12 lbs. Granulated Sugar with order..... \$1.00
- Choice Tub Butter..... 40c
- Choice Red Potatoes..... 32c

BRITISH PORTS

Kirkwall, Dec 4—Ard, stmr Miriam (Nor), Philadelphia via Louisburg (C B) for Larvik.
Dunlin, Dec 5—Ard, stmr Lord Ormonde (Br), Baltimore via Belfast.

FOREIGN PORTS

New York, Dec 7—Ard, stmr Centennial, Sandy River (N B).
Schr Emily F Northam, Long Cove (Me) with stone.
Bangor, Me, Dec 6—Sid, schr Irene H Menzies, New York.
New York, Dec 8—Ard, schr Finland, Liverpool.
New York, Dec 8—Ard, stmr Baltic, Liverpool.
Kristiansand, Dec 8—Ard, stmr Hellig Olav, New York.

You Can Save Money by Dealing at Parkinson's Cash Stores

- East St. John Post Office Main 279-11.
- 128 Adelaide Street Main 938-11.
- 147 Victoria Street Main 77-11.

One Dollar
Puts This Famous
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While this limited allotment lasts, you can have the Famous Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet delivered to your home at the old prices.

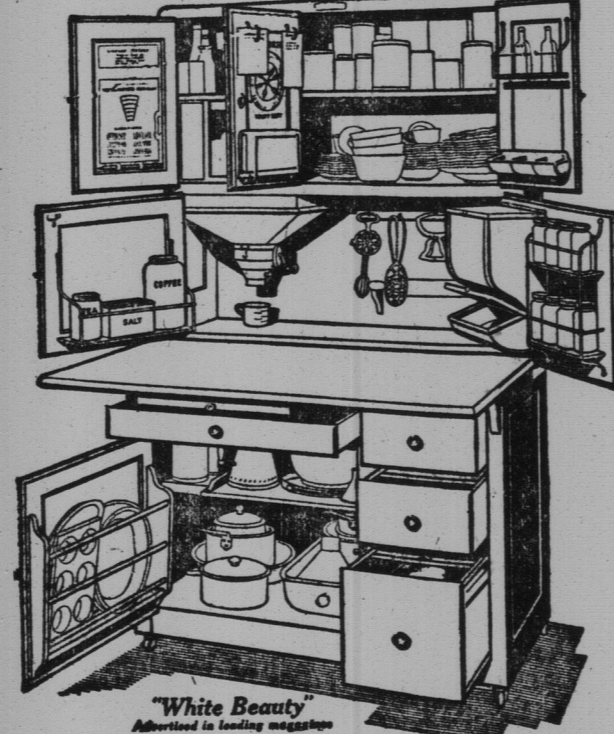
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to secure your Hoosier at former prices. You must pay higher prices when this lot is sold.

40 Labor-Saving Features---17 New

You save miles of steps with this Hoosier. Forty special features help you save labor—even reduce the effort of reaching. Every inch of space is utilized. oYu get through your work quickly. Everything is closed up, free from dust. The Hoosier gives you a business like kitchen. It gives you a better kitchen than you possibly could have without it.

NOTICE:—By leaving a deposit of \$1.00 on the cabinet you choose, we will store same FREE until Xmas eve.
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- 1.—\$1.00 puts any Hoosier in your home.
- 2.—\$1.00 weekly quickly pays for it.
- 3.—The low cash price fixed by the factory prevails strictly.
- 4.—This sale is under the direct supervision of the Hoosier Company.
- 5.—No interest or extra fees.
- 6.—No collectors going to your door.

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The sliding, pure aluminum table pulls out, comes apart for cleaning. In two minutes you can take it entirely apart to let sunshine and fresh air in every corner. Every woman should have a Hoosier in her kitchen now.

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- Tomatoes..... 19c. can
- Corn..... 12c. can
- Peas..... 12c. can
- Peaches..... 16c. can
- Good Pink Salmon, 13c. can, 25c.
- Red Salmon..... 18c. can
- Brunswick Sardines..... 5c. can
- Oysters..... 15c. and 23c. can
- Jersey Cream Baking Powder, 22c. can
- Cape Cod Cranberries..... 12c. qt.
- Choice Apples, 20c, 25c. and 35c. pk.
- Santa Claus Raisins..... 12c. pkge.
- Choice New Prunes, 11c. lb.
- 3 lbs. for 30c.
- 2 lbs. for 25c.
- Evaporated Peaches 15c. lb.
- 2 lbs. for 25c.
- New Apricots..... 19c. lb.
- Cleaned Currants..... 18c. pkge.
- 5 pkgs. Bee Jelly Powder..... 25c.
- 3 bottles Lemon or Vanilla Extract..... 25c.
- 3 pkgs. Cornstarch..... 25c.
- 3 lbs. Mixed Starch..... 25c.
- Best Cheese..... 24c. lb.
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New Mince-meat..... 15c. per lb.
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STRAITHCONA, Manitoba Blend. Good for Bread or Pastry, \$9.85 barrel

With every purchase of one or more pounds of Peerless Blend Tea, at 39 cents lb., 12 lbs. Gran. Sugar, \$1.

- Ora Seeded Raisins..... 10c.
- Del. Monte Raisins, fancy..... 13c.
- Santa Claus Raisins..... 12c.
- Cleaned Currants..... 18c. and 20c.
- New Lemon Peel..... 21c.
- New Orange Peel..... 22c.
- New Citron Peel..... 25c.
- Cooking Figs..... 2 lbs. 25c.
- Large tin California Peaches Only 27c.
- Large tin California Pineapples, Only 27c.
- Libby's Assorted Soups..... 2 for 25c.
- Libby's Baked Beans..... 10c. tin
- 3 lb. tin Baked Beans..... Only 14c.
- Apples..... From \$1.25 bill up
- Apples..... 15c. peck up
- Wheat Flakes, Self-Rising Buckwheat, Pancake Flour, Biscuit Flour, Reg. 15c. pkgs..... 2 for 25c.
- 3 pkgs. Cornstarch..... 25c.
- 3 pkgs. Cornflakes..... 33c.
- 3 pkgs. Jelly Powder..... 25c.
- 3 bottles Lemon or Vanilla..... 25c.

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The Evening Times and Star

The St. John Evening Times is printed at 27 and 29 Canterbury Street every evening (Sunday excepted) by the St. John Times Printing and Publishing Co. Ltd., a company incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Act.

THE BRITISH CABINET.

Mr. Asquith, in retiring from the premiership, is generous to his successor. He acquiesces Mr. Lloyd George as any part in the campaign against himself, and "emphasizes the necessity and importance of giving strenuous adhesion to whatever government is in power for the purpose of bringing about what all desire—the winning of the war."

plants to other useful purposes after the war and make it easier to re-absorb into the economic life of the country the hundreds of thousands who will come back to Canada. He appeals for a broader outlook and a new and better grip of the industrial and commercial situation.

WHERE CANADA FAILS.

While in England, France and Russia there is re-organization and governmental change with the sole purpose of organizing more effectively for the prosecution of the war, what are we doing in Canada?

Where in this country is the leadership so sorely needed in this great crisis? A few recruits are being secured, at great cost to the country, and patriotic bodies are carrying on their benevolent work and raising funds, but the people for the most part go on getting and spending as if these were the chief objects of human existence in Canada at the present time.

It is a strange fact that while Lord Northcliffe hails Mr. Lloyd George as the deliverer of the Empire, he bitterly attacks Mr. Balfour and Lord Cecil, who are named as important members of the new cabinet. There is, however, a general disposition to give the new cabinet a fair field, and Mr. Asquith's attitude will strengthen the feeling. If some of the rumors are true, Mr. Lloyd George will introduce some radical changes in the direction of state control of industries and transportation, and in more effectively organizing the whole country for war.

The following paragraph from last night's cables will be read with special interest in Canada, where every criticism of the government is described by a portion of the government press as next thing to treason.

"One reason advanced for the failure of Premier Asquith's coalition government is that there was no strong opposition and criticism in parliament, because opposition was considered disloyalty to the nation."

Mr. Asquith will sit on the front opposition bench, and while his attitude will be that of a friendly critic, he and his late colleagues will be able to do the Empire great service.

MR. KERSHAW'S MESSAGE

One of the revelations of the war was the knowledge brought to the amazed British manufacturers of the extent to which Germany was capturing markets all over the world. When samples of German goods were gathered in London from all parts of the world the British manufacturers woke up.

The manufacturers and mechanics of St. John, and indeed all the citizens, should examine the enemy samples now on exhibition in this city. The samples have been shown in the chief cities of the United Kingdom, and in Montreal, Toronto and London, Ontario. Now they are here, in charge of Mr. Herbert Kershaw, representing the British Board of Trade, and Mr. A. W. Kennedy, representing the Canadian trade and commerce department. The display will be ready for inspection on Monday.

Mr. Kershaw's message to St. John manufacturers at the Union Club luncheon last evening was, as Mayor Hayes observed, an inspiration. Not only did he set out with admirable clearness the processes by which Germany had secured her remarkable foothold in foreign markets, largely at the expense of the momentary peace which she would renew her activities in the same way, and endeavor not only to regain her former position, but to become supreme in world-commerce and industry. It is for the British manufacturers in all parts of the Empire to unite their efforts as never before, and to secure and hold the premier position in all those markets where Germany was carrying on and enlarging at Britain's expense the trade that brought her the revenue which enabled her to launch and conduct the present war.

Mr. Kershaw told how Germany first got a foothold with cheap goods, and then went after the trade in medium and higher priced goods, and how her emissaries went to British factories and business houses, to work at low wages and learn the secrets and steal if possible the lists of customers, to be passed on to German houses. That plan, he said, would be tried again, and the British manufacturers, being forewarned, should not only co-operate but begin now, before the war ends, to go after and to hold the markets Germany will seek. Already, he says, British firms are uniting as never before to send representatives with samples to foreign markets. There had been too much individualism, and the German state-aided industrial and commercial machine had gained an advantage. This is now realized, and the common danger has brought co-operation among British manufacturers as never before. It should be so in Canada, Mr. Kershaw says, and business houses should unite to send representatives to learn the needs of foreign markets, and then set out to supply them. One of the great secrets of German success was that they got samples of the goods sold in any market and then duplicated them, giving the people what they were accustomed to in any line.

Mr. Kershaw sees a great future for manufacturing in Canada, and is convinced that there are now foreign markets which will gladly take products of our factories. He therefore urges preparation and co-operation, not only to get larger markets but to turn the munition

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PATRIOTIC BRIDGE. The second of a series of patriotic bridge parties was held on Monday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Regan, Orange street, the proceeds of which were devoted to the fund of the Field Ambulance Depot. The house was beautifully decorated with flags and bunting and about sixty-five people were present. The prize winners were Mrs. D. J. Corr and Dr. F. J. Hogan.

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LOYD GEORGE AND THE PEOPLE. A Statesman Who Truly Represents the Majority of His Countrymen, Writes Novelist. Louis Tracy, noted novelist, writes as follows in the New York Tribune: "To the Editor of The Tribune:— Sir—Three items in today's Tribune are of more than fleeting interest and should be read together. These are:— 1. Mr. Sydney Brook's letter. 2. An interview with 'a returned traveler.' 3. Mme. Sarah Bernhardt's statement at Wilmington. Mr. Brooks gives the American people, in clear and forceful words, the British view of the war and warns of all peace-mongers, whether well-meaning idealists or exponents of Germany's growing needs. Generally speaking, 'a returned traveler' bears out Mr. Brooks and shows that he understands the true attitude of the British Empire toward this war of 'settlement.' But, when he says that since 'the elevation and enthronement' of Mr. Lloyd George 'by the masses' he underestimates the position filled by that democratic leader in the hearts of the people. Perhaps you will permit me to interpret briefly the present political situation in London. Before the war Mr. Lloyd George was absolutely hated by the landed aristocracy and the upper middle class. He was the fearless champion of the workers. He said openly that the land-grabbers and the coupon-cutters should be made to pay their due proportions of the nation's expenditure. He was specially severe on dukes, and these eminently respectable and lofty personages tried to be equally severe on him. Had the struggle come to an issue sweet—and to enjoy what you eat without fear of pains, 'heartburn' or heaviness, take a cooling, refreshing, pleasantly invigorating glass of Abbey's Effervescent Salt every morning. This famous household remedy will put your whole system in its normal, active condition, & 'make you forget you have a stomach.' Take it in warm water. Strengthen the Nerves and enrich the Blood with Abbey's Vita Tablets, 50c. a box. To correct this tendency to Constipation—to have the bowels move regularly every day—to keep the stomach For Sale by E. Clinton Brown, Druggist, 217 Union Street.

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LOCAL NEWS

BIRTHS AND MARRIAGES
 Seventeen births, eleven boys and six girls, and eight marriages have been reported to the registrar, John B. Jones, during the week.

ELEVEN DEATHS
 Eleven deaths were reported to the Board of Health this week as follows: Senility, three; uremia, two; paralysis, myocarditis, heart failure, diabetes mellitus, pernicious anaemia and cerebral softening, each one.

PETER W. ANDERSON
 The death of Peter W. Anderson occurred this morning at the home of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Anderson, 292 Millidge avenue. Mr. Anderson was thirty-six years old, and had been in ill-health for the last few years. He leaves his wife, two small children and four sisters. The sisters are: Mrs. Harry Morrissey of Main street; Mrs. William Sullivan of Chesley street; Mrs. John Gray of Millidge avenue, and Miss Maud Anderson at home.

PROBATE COURT
 In the matter of the estate of Joseph Shannon the petition of the administrator de bonis non asking for the passing of accounts and distribution was presented. A citation was issued returnable on January 15. Kenneth A. Wilson is proctor.

In the matter of the estate of Isabella Thompson, letters testamentary were granted to Rev. W. R. Robinson, the executor named in the will. Kenneth A. Wilson is proctor.

A POLICE MATTER
 Indignation has been expressed among some of the officials at police headquarters over a story from the Moncton Times in the St. John papers, which complained about the disposal of three women who were sent from here back to Moncton. It is now announced that the three women paid their own way back as they expressed the desire to go back themselves rather than to go to jail for six months. In respect to an aged man who was ordered by the local court to be sent back to Restigouche, the authorities here were pleased by the unfortunate man's way to Moncton so that he would not be sent back to Restigouche. He said he walked from there to here, taking twenty-three days.

POLICEMAN SUSPENDED
 It is said that one of the city policemen has been suspended pending inquiry into an arrest which he made yesterday. It is said he took into custody a returned soldier and placed him in the C. C. R. lock-up. It is reported that a citizen spoke to the policeman, and said that there would be trouble over this arrest and that the policeman caught hold of the citizen by the throat and told him not to interfere.

On the other hand the policeman's story is that he caught the citizen by the coat collar. It is further contended that the man arrested should not have been taken to the lock-up under the influence of liquor. The police say he was. The matter will come up on Monday in court.

The Man in The Street
 Too many varieties of weather this week to comment on; also too many to make it safe to predict what we are going to get next week.

Chief Simpson agrees with Gilbert and Sullivan that "a policeman's lot is not a happy one."

When a traveling company allows a member of the troupe to put over smutty jokes, night after night, and gets away with it, it is about time for the organization of a vigilance committee.

If the city starts to sell coal in ten cent bags, which commissioner will act as salesman?

Our Classified Ad Column
 WANTED—Competent chartered accountant to assist in preparing answers to common council, list of questions. Apply to "Milkman," care Man in the Street.

FOR SALE OF EXCHANGE—Children in destitute circumstances will sell grand piano cheap or exchange for one pound of beefsteak.

LOST—One bank balance, somewhere between the High Cost of Living and the Existing Salary Scale. Reward offered to any one furnishing information on how to recover the same.

MEN WANTED—Vacancies for any number of men at good pay; Boarding, lodging and clothing furnished. Apply to nearest recruiting officer.

Pavements and Debts
 St. John boasts the proud distinction of having a smaller bonded debt than any other city of its size in the Dominion—and fewer paved streets.

If the citizens want paved streets they must forgo their passionate desire for a low tax rate.

It is a safe bet that fifty per cent of the high school pupils would vote for a granite paving in front of the school. The rattle of the traffic in the street would be as good as a special Providence when the pupil had to recite an unstudied lesson.

The 51,918 citizens who did not attend the lectures on the new assessment act may know all about it already—but we have our doubts.

Waste Not; Want Not
 In these days of the high cost of living it hurts one's feelings to see good material going to waste and the Man in the Street feels that he really must reprimand any citizen found guilty of such conduct. For instance, there was a man who was taking a perfectly good bottle of booze home to his starving family. He entered the post office yesterday afternoon about five o'clock and paraded sedately along the corridor, his heels clicking briskly on the tiled pavement. But the bottle—why did he not secure it more securely in his hip pocket or under his coat or wherever such articles are carried most safely? There was a crash, a splash, as the bottle dropped from somewhere in the rear. It struck the tiled floor with a racket that sounded like a bomb exploding, and from among the shattered pieces of glass a widening pool flowed over the floor and a pungent aroma filled the lobby. If a man is going to drop a bottle in that careless way he should select a softer spot on which to let it fall.

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 Medium weight, all colors, with contrasting collar and cuffs - \$7.00, \$7.50
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EXHIBIT OF GOODS MADE IN GERMANY
 St. John Has Unique Exhibition
 Sent Here With Design of Stimulating Our Own Manufacturers to Make Articles That We Formerly Imported
 Within a short time after the declaration of war British Consular agents all over the world received instructions from the British department of trade and commerce to collect all kinds of goods manufactured in Germany and Austria and found in markets of the world. Thousands of samples were collected.
 At present these articles are in the city of St. John in the M.R.A. Ltd. building at 26-28 Prince William street, and will be opened to the inspection of the public, especially to the business men and manufacturers of the city. Professor Herbert Kershaw who is supervising the exhibits for the British government will be glad to see all classes and will explain more fully the object of the exhibition.
 The exhibits have been loaned to the Dominion government by the British Board of Trade (meaning the department of trade and commerce). The object of the exhibition is to impress upon Canadian manufacturers the fact that here is a more expansive field and to stimulate foreign exportation of home manufactured goods and the placing of Canadian-made goods on foreign markets.
 As a Times representative visited the exhibit yesterday and was taken about by Prof. Kershaw there was noticeable German commercial thoroughness of method and economic ingenuity. In the exhibits one finds the strong appeal to the native of the country to which the goods are particularly destined. Turban feathers, country-made heavy watch chains, African machetes and Oriental silks and satins do not look German. But still everything is patterned to the exact style to which the prospective buyer is accustomed. Clothing is cut and finished in the particular style of the country for which it is destined. It is evident also from the exhibits that models are copied. The Germans are unexcelled as copyists and it is from this fact that it is possible that the inventions of the Germans have been giganticly overrated. In the manufacture of their goods and the placing or rather the pressure that was brought to bear to have them placed on the market, each and every person in the country had his or her part to play.
 The exhibits show the dominating trait of the German to utilize every speck of material; to utilize even what we in this country might call "waste." There are amazing articles of goods found in the exhibits, that were made from "waste" material.
 Each exhibit will undoubtedly stimulate some particular manufacturer and this is what is wanted, this is what is aimed at, to stimulate home manufacture, to work up manufacturing of one's own and the placing of our own made goods on foreign markets, to show the Canadian that he can shape his goods so that they will appeal to the purchasers of other lands as did the Germans. This exhibition has already helped Canadian manufacturers in this way.
 Professor Kershaw brought the exhibit from the old country to Canada. St. John is the fourth city in the Dominion that he has visited, and Halifax, which is the next city to have them, will be the last. Montreal, Toronto and London were visited before coming here. The exhibit is being shown in conjunction with the local Board of Trade, upon whose request the articles were brought to this city.
 There is a staff of men ready at all times during the exhibition, which will last a week, to talk to any person who is desirous of information on any line. In the exhibit room there is also a large map of the world showing at what places on the globe the Canadian trade commission representatives and how one can communicate with them. This is of value to the business man and especially to the manufacturer.
 The opportunity the exhibit affords to the manufacturer should not be passed over lightly and each should see it and get a first hand idea of how Canadian home manufactured goods can be placed on the markets of other countries and be sold.

BROTHER OF MRS. KUHRING GIVES HIS LIFE IN WAR
 The news that her brother, William Ernest Wilson, died of wounds at No. 9 Casualty clearing station, France, on November 21, has been received by Mrs. G. A. Kuhring of this city, whose husband is serving as chaplain in France. Mr. Wilson, who was forty years of age, was the sign of the late Dr. W. Wilson, formerly vice clerk of the House of Commons, Ottawa. He was engaged in business in South America until his health made it necessary for him to return to the north, and he spent two years in this city, about seven years ago, before going west. He was residing in British Columbia when he joined the 54th Overseas Battalion.
 Besides Mrs. Kuhring, two other sisters survive. Mrs. William Downie, wife of the former general superintendent of the Atlantic division of the C. P. R., who removed from St. John to Whitty, Ont., several years ago, and Mrs. Selwyn Holmsted of Toronto. During his stay in St. John Mr. Wilson made many friends who will learn of his death with sincere regret. Mrs. Kuhring and the other members of his family will have the sincere sympathy of the entire community.

QUESTIONS SENT OUT
 The official list of questions which the milk dealers are required to answer under oath were mailed from city hall at noon today. There are thirty-one questions. If the answers are not satisfactory or if the dealers refuse to answer the council can report to that effect to the dominion government and the latter may take action.

COUNTRY MARKET.
 There is a great scarcity of chickens, turkeys and fowl reported in the market today. The reason given is that the supply is being held back for Christmas. Other prices are: Beef, 12 to 28 cents a pound; lamb, 20 to 25; veal, 14 to 20; turkey, 88 cents a pound; case eggs 48 cents and henery eggs 60 cents a dozen. Ducks are 80 cents a pound, and butter is 48 to 46 cents a pound.

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SIXTEEN PAGES

Tabernacle United Baptist Church

Haymarket Square. REV. F. PATRICK DENNISON, Pastor. 11.00 a.m.—Preacher, Rev. P. R. Hayward, of Fairville. Subject: "Hypocrisy in Religion." The pastor will preach at the evening service. "WOLVES DRESSED AS SHEEP" 7.00 p.m. If afraid of the Truth, avoid this service. If not, come!!! Song-Service commencing at 6.45 p.m.

This church is pre-eminently the workingman's church. Its entire membership is of those who toil early and late for the bread that perisheth. Not more than four per cent. of its resident membership earn more than ten dollars a week. Notwithstanding this fact, there is being raised annually about three thousand dollars for church, missionary and charitable purposes. Its resident membership is about 226.

This church has done its part in the present crisis. One hundred and eight of its members and adherents have enlisted for overseas service. It can be said that, of those of military age and single, not one can be found in the church today who has not been through the medical officer's hands—once as often as five times, only to be finally rejected and told not to show up again. One fellow, whose brother is reported as "Missing," wrote to Ottawa when rejected on account of being under age. He is now in uniform. Many of our boys have been wounded—some more than once. Fifteen have paid the supreme price, having laid down their lives that loved ones, as well as "slackers" might possess their homes in peace and safety.

Our present building is absolutely inadequate to our needs and the needs of our work. We need more room for church meetings, Bible school, "ten age" boys' work. But we have not the means. The people we minister to have not the means, so the work suffers for that which some have in abundance and not only to spare, but shame to say it, to even waste.

We have a community of over three thousand for whom we are responsible. These all are not affiliated with any church, denomination or sect. They call no one Lord. The solution of the problem lies in a new building. For this we need at least \$10,000 beyond our own resources. Here is a grand opportunity to perpetuate the memory of some one who has passed on. The men and women, the boys and girls will rise up in days to come to bless that memory. WHO WILL HELP US? and who will do it NOW? Edith Ave. Mission, East St. John, 8.30 p.m. Revival Service every evening except Saturday at 8 p.m. in the Edith Ave. Mission. Come and help. Baptisms at the close of the evening services.

Germain St. Baptist Church

Corner Queen and Germain Sts.—REV. S. S. POOLE, B.A., Pastor. Strangers and those having no Church Home will be welcome at all services. Reception for Soldiers at the close of the evening worship.

Preacher at the morning service Rev. F. H. Wentworth Sunday School at 2.30 p.m. Pastor's Subject at 7 p.m.: "Paul's Picture of the Christian Life" Special music evening—Male Quartette. Soloist, Mr. Mason. All Seats Free at Evening Service.

Central United Baptist Church Sunday

REV. D. J. MacPHERSON, M.A., B.D., Pastor 11.00 a.m.—Rev. F. P. Dennison Will Preach 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School in All Branches 7.00 p.m.—Pastor's Subject: "TRUE RICHES" Special Music! Seats Free! All Welcome!

THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH

Vernon St. Rev. H. Nobles, Minister. Subjects—11 a.m., "Things That Accompany Salvation" 7 p.m.—"Too Bad for Heaven, Too Bad for Hell—Will the Hereafter Afford An Opportunity to Solve This Problem?" 2.30 p.m.—Church School. All Welcome. Seats Free.

The Salvation Army Sunday Service

No. I Citadel, Charlotte St., 11 a.m., 3 and 7.30 p.m.—Adjutant and Mrs. Green in command No. II Citadel, Main St., 11 a.m., 3 and 7 p.m.—Captain Boulton and Lieut. Waterson in command No. III Citadel, Brindley St., 11 a.m., 3 and 7 p.m.—Adjutant and Mrs. Berry in command No. IV, Rodney St., W. E., 11 a.m., 3 and 7 p.m.—Captain and Mrs. Major in command All Are Cordially Invited to Attend!

LOCAL NEWS

There's no better filling for the Christmas stockings than our choice footwear—Wizel's Cash Stores, 248-247 Union street. Special sale of men's sweaters tonight from 7 to 11—At Corbett's, 194 Union street.

BOYS' SUITS AT AMDUR'S. Just arrived, a splendid line of boys' suits, best make, latest designs. All reduced prices for the next two weeks, 288 King street, West. 12-11

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Get your coats, blouses, blankets, curtains, rugs, boots, shoes, etc., etc., at Bessen's Monster Reliable Sale, 14-15-16 Charlotte street. CHILDREN'S WEAR AT AMDUR'S. You can dress your children well and comfortably for little money at AMDUR'S, 288 King street, West. Come and look over our stock, it will pay you. 12-11

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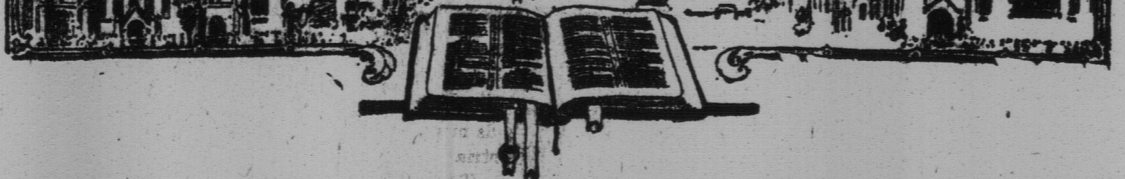
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News of the Churches



Methodist Churches

QUEEN SQUARE CENTENARY Rev. H. Johnson, Rev. W. H. Barraclough. EXMOUTH Rev. W. H. Barraclough. PORTLAND Dr. David Hutchinson, Rev. W. G. Lane. CALETON Rev. N. MacLaughlin. WESTMORELAND Rev. E. A. Westmoreland. ZION Rev. R. S. Crisp, Rev. R. S. Crisp. Rev. G. Earle, Rev. Thos. Hicks.

First Presbyterian Church, West Side. Cordial welcome to visitors. Rev. Dr. Morrison's sermon subjects, morning: "The Drama of Human Life"; evenings: "The World in Miniature."

St. David's Presbyterian Church, Sydney street. Public worship at 11 a.m., 7 p.m. The minister, Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, will preach at both services. Bible study 2.30, song service at close of evening worship. All seats free at all services. Strangers cordially invited.

St. Stephen Presbyterian Church—Services 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Sunday school 2.30 p.m., minister Rev. L. H. McLean, M. A. Strangers cordially invited.

Calvin Presbyterian Church, minister, Rev. F. W. Thompson, B. A. Services 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Sunday school and men's Bible study class 2.30 p.m. Morning subject, "The Call of The War"; evening subject, "The Congregation and The Minister." Midweek meeting Wednesday, 8 p.m. Strangers cordially invited.

The Bible states, the Jewish Law could not give eternal life to anyone living under it. Is there any provision for natural Israelites in the future? Mr. A. N. Marchant will answer this question in the Bible standing in his address tomorrow (Sunday) at 8 p.m. in Bible Students Hall, 169 Union street. "The Parable of the Rich Man and Lazarus" explained; come and hear the facts. Seats free, no collection.

First Church of Christ Scientist—Service at 11 a.m., at 98 Germain street. Subject: "God, The Preserver of Man." Wednesday evening service at 8. Reading room open daily from 8 to 5, legal holidays excepted.

Good gospel service at City Mission, Brussels street, Sunday evening at 8 p.m., preceded by song service. Also Sunday school Sunday afternoon from 4 to 5 and our usual mid-week prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. To all services you are invited.

TEMPERANCE HALL. Come and hear A. H. Stuart preach the gospel in Temperance Hall in St. James street, between Sydney and Carmarthen, Sunday night at 8.15. Everybody welcome. No collections.

THIS INVITES YOU TO EXMOUTH STREET METHODIST CHURCH TOMORROW (SUNDAY) 11 a.m. Service - Rev. D. HUTCHISON 7 p.m. Subject "What of the Night?" The Pastor—Rev. W. G. LANE GLAD TO SEE YOU AT ALL SERVICES MORNING CLASS 9.45 SUNDAY SCHOOL 2.30 Good Singing at All Services COME!

Main St. Baptist Church The Stranger's Sabbath Home REV. D. HUTCHINSON, D.D., Pastor 11.00 a.m.—Preacher, Rev. W. G. Lane. Subject: "Watchman, What of the Night?" 2.30 p.m. - Sunday School and Men's Bible Class Conducted by the Pastor 7.00 p.m.—Sermon by the Pastor. Subject: "What Christ is to the Believer and the Unbeliever." Good Music by the Choir. A Hearty Welcome to All!

Waterloo Street United Baptist Church REV. F. H. WENTWORTH, Pastor 11.00 a.m. - Rev. J. H. Jenner Will Preach 2.30 p.m. - Sunday School 7.00 p.m.—Pastor's Subject: "THE ANGUISH OF DIVINE THINGS" (Baptisms at the Evening Service). An attractive feature Sunday evenings in this church is the "After" Service conducted by young men. All Seats Free! Strangers Cordially Welcome

Coburg St. Christian Church 11.00 a.m.—Preacher Sergeant A. P. Hodges Solo—Mrs. Henderson, "There is a Land Mine Bye Hath Seen" (Crowninshield). 2.30 p.m. - Bible School 7.00 p.m.—Preacher Sergeant A. P. Hodges Duet—Soprano and Tenor: "The King of Love My Shepherd Is" (Jerome). Anthem—"Jesus Shall Reign"—(Wilson). "We invite you to our services and heartily welcome strangers. Come!"

St. Andrews Presbyterian Church

REV. F. S. DOWLING, B.A., Minister 11.00 a.m.—Subject: "Star Counting and Heart Healing" Anthem—"Lift Up Your Head"—(Hopkins). 2.30 p.m. - Sunday School and Bible Class 7.00 p.m. - Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, M.A. Anthem—"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"—(Shelley) Solo—"Recessional"—(Kipling), by Miss Anderson. Song service at close of evening service. Strangers made welcome to all services.

Congregational Church Rev. Thomas Hall, D.D. will preach at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday School at 12 o'clock Week Service Wednesday at 8 o'clock p.m. Everyone Welcome at These Services!

St. Mary's Church, Waterloo Street REV. R. TAYLOR McKIM, Rector. 11.00 a.m.—Morning Prayer. Sermon, Subject: "The Kingdom Rule" 2.30 p.m. - Sunday School and Bible Classes 7.00 p.m.—Evening Prayer. Sermon, Subject: "The Sign of the Jew" All Seats Free! All Welcome!

ST. JOHN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (KING STREET EAST) REV. J. H. A. ANDERSON, B.D., Minister. Public Worship 11 a.m., 7 p.m. Sabbath School 2.30 p.m. Evening preacher, Rev. F. S. Dowling, B.A. Strangers Cordially Welcome!

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CORDUROY SALE Value, \$1.00 yard. Special, 50c. yard Over 2,000 Yards on Sale New 27 and 24 inch Corduroy Silk Pile Dress Velvets. An order given last year when prices were much lower than today. The colors on sale are myrtle, laurel, hunters' green, tabac, cinnamon, nigger brown, Alice, saxe, electric, sapphire, marine, light and dark navy, slate, dreadnought, grey, cardinal, crimson, rose, black, white and ivory. We have several boxes of each shade; but there will be a rush, so don't delay. WOMEN'S PEN-ANGLE CASHMERE-ETTE HOSIERY Value, 40c. pair. Sale, 29c. pair Buy your needs at this sale, as we cannot get any more of this line. Sizes 8 1-2 to 10 inch. BOYS' HEAVY FLEECE UNDERWEAR Sizes 24 to 32 inch. 35c. each MEN'S HEAVY UNDERWEAR Men's Pen-Angle Fleece. 50c. each Men's Heavy Wool. 50c. each Men's Tiger Brand Ribbed. 75c. each Men's Stanfield's Ribbed. \$1.25 each STRIPED FLANNELETTE Value, 16 yard. Sale 12 1-2c. yard Fifteen pieces, 33 inch Heavy Striped Flannelette, suitable for underwear, linings, etc., light and mid. colorings. COVERALL APRONS 50c. each Made of good English Print, full length and size, front pocket and strap to button across back. This Apron can be slipped on and off in a second. Fifteen patterns, in mid. and dark colors. DRESS MATERIALS Values to \$1.25 yard. Sale, 65c. yard Five hundred yards of Dress Goods. A large range of popular weaves, varying in widths from 42 to 50 inch. The range of colors in each line is incomplete, but amongst them will be found many staple shades. REMNANTS OF DRESS GOODS Almost Half-Price One hundred remnants of our best selling Dress Materials to be sold at much less than regular. BLACK AND WHITE CHECK DRESS GOODS Sale, 29c. and 39c. yard MUFFLERS Clearing Line. Value, 39c. Sale 15c. each White and Navy. CORSET SALE \$1.25 Value—Average figure... 95c. pair \$1.50 Value—Stout Ladies' to 36 inch... \$1.00 pair WOMEN'S RAINCOATS Full Weight—Samples Value, \$7.50. Sale, \$3.50 Only 15 Coats in Lot. WHITE FLANNELETTE Sale, 9c. yard. WOMEN'S WHITE FLANNELETTE NIGHTGOWNS \$1.00 Flannelette Gowns. 75c. each \$1.35 Flannelette Gowns. \$1.00 each Made of good quality Flannelette, white only, trimmed with embroidery, finished with self frill. XMAS RIBBONS 5 yard bunch for 15c. All Silk Ribbon, 1-2 to 2 1-2 inch width; cut in 5 yard ends to save time, and marked at less than half price. All shades. TURKISH TOWELS Value, 18c. Sale, 12 1-2c. each English Make—Cream Only. UMBRELLA BARGAINS \$1.00 Ladies' Umbrellas. Sale, 75c. each \$1.50 Ladies' Umbrellas. Sale, 95c. each \$1.75 Ladies' Umbrellas. Sale, \$1.25 each \$2.00 Ladies' Umbrellas. Sale, \$1.50 each WOMEN'S UNDERWEAR 35c. Vests and Drawers. Sale, 25c. each 35c. Corset Covers. Sale, 25c. each 50c. Vests and Drawers. Sale, 40c. each 65c. Fleece Vests and Drawers. Sale, 50c. each \$1.35 Women's Combinations. Sale, 95c. \$2.00 Women's Combinations. Sale, \$1.50

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Four Condition Below Par You Must Be Built Up—Let Ferrozone Do It. All the vital activities of the body are quickened into new vigor by Ferrozone, which contains all the constituents necessary to make nerve strength.

GIRLS' CLUB HOLDS FAIR

The Girls' Club of the Playgrounds Association held a most successful fair in their rooms, Prince street, yesterday afternoon and evening.

GOES TO REGINA

Rev. A. S. Lewis, pastor of the Windsor, N.S., Baptist church, has resigned to take effect on January 2, 1917.

MESSAGE TO BUSINESS MEN

H. Kershaw, British Board of Trade Representative, Speaks at Gathering in Union Club

Urging the development of an export trade while Germany's commerce is practically wiped off the seas, Herbert Kershaw, a representative of the British board of trade, spoke before an informal gathering of St. John business men at the Union Club, last evening.

STOP DANDRUFF! HAIR GETS THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL

Girls! Draw a Cloth Through Your Hair and Double Its Beauty

To be possessed of a head of heavy, beautiful hair, soft, lustrous, fluffy, wavy and free from dandruff is merely a matter of using a little Danderine.

ONCE THIS BEAUTY HAD PIMPLES

Stuart's Calcium Wafers Proved That Beauty Comes from the Blood and From Nowhere Else.

Prove This With Free Trial Package. Plaster your skin all over and you'll stop breathing in an hour.

Major T. E. Powers Home

St. John Officer at Front More Than Two Years—Others Who Came on Corinthian

Major Thomas E. Powers, who left St. John commanding the signalling section, part of the first contingent, returned to the city yesterday on the Corinthian, after an absence of two years and four months on military service.

YOU'RE BILIOUS! CLEAN LIVER AND BOWELS TONIGHT

Don't Stay Headachy, Sick, or Have Bad Breath and Sour Stomach.

Wake Up Feeling Fine!—Bea Laxative for Men, Women and Children. Enjoy Life! Remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, breath offensive, and stomach sour.

Advertisement for Cathartic Tablets, featuring an image of the product box and text describing its benefits for biliousness and constipation.

Pale Weak Nervous Children

SCHOOL days are anxious days for parents as well as for children. At the most critical times in their lives girls, and boys, too, are subjected to the common nervous strains which exhaust and exhaust ambition untold.

LOCAL NEWS

Rev. R. P. McKim entertained the Junior Bible study class of St. Luke's church Sunday school at his home last evening.

Back Ache

Gin Pills banish backache, no matter how severe. The effect, undoubted, is to numb the pain, but Gin Pills go right to the source of the trouble, the kidneys, restoring the natural functions of these organs, and with the blood purified, and inflammation allayed, the pains disappear permanently.

ROYAL STANDARD CHAPTER

The regular meeting of Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. O. F., was held in the chapter's room, German street, last night.

Keep Vigorous

active - alert - "up on your toes" GENUINE BEARS SIGNATURE Brew's Food with CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

New Life For Your Hair

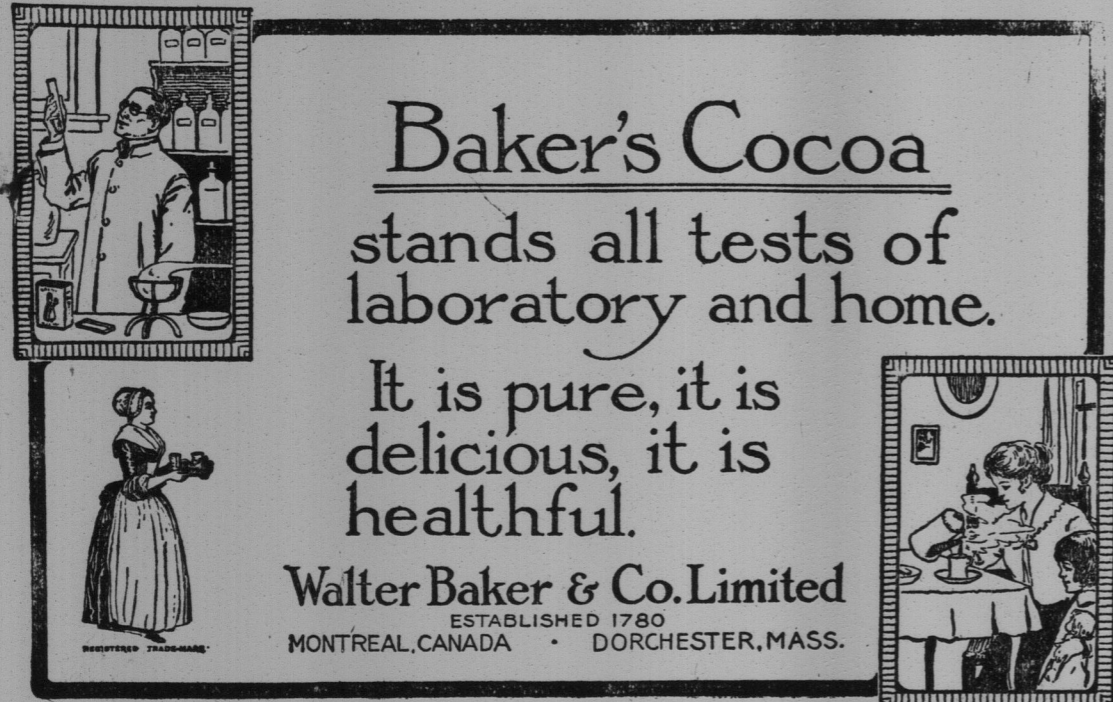
In Cuticura. The Soap to cleanse the scalp of dandruff, crusts and scales, the Ointment to soothe and heal itching and irritation. Nothing just like these fragrant, super-creamy emollients for the skin and scalp.

Large advertisement for Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, featuring a portrait of a man and text describing its benefits for nervousness and weakness.

Advertisement for Gin Pills, featuring an image of the product box and text describing its effectiveness for backaches and kidney issues.

Advertisement for Brew's Food, featuring an image of a bear and text promoting it as a nutritious food for children.

Advertisement for Cuticura, featuring an image of the product and text describing its use for skin conditions like dandruff and eczema.



Baker's Cocoa
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It is pure, it is delicious, it is healthful.

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Quebec under the leadership of Sir Lomer Gouin.

"When England is at war, Canada is at war," Sir Wilfrid asserted with vigor, and said that with the war the provinces and cities on the Pacific coast were exposed. He recalled what a panic there had been when, at the outbreak of the war, in August, 1914, it became known that there were German cruisers in the Pacific ocean. The coast was defenceless. There was only the Rainbow, and he reminded his audience what a number of jets they had heard about the Rainbow at the last elections. In the hour of menace, however, there was nothing left for them to do but to call for the Rainbow to defend the western cities, and besides they hastened to Seattle and purchased two submarines to repel the apprehended German attack.

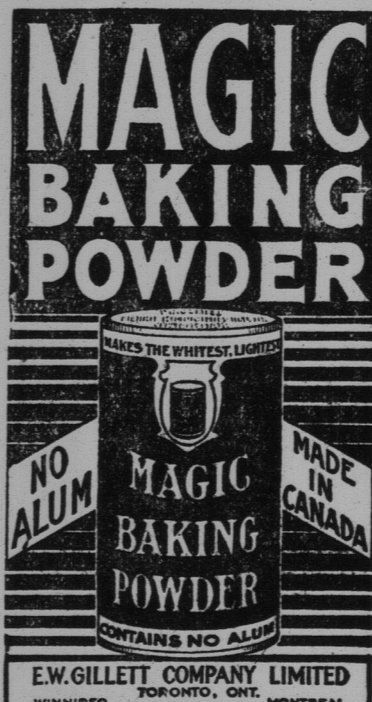
Turning to the question of why Canadians should fight in the present war, Sir Wilfrid remarked that some argued that it was all very well to defend Canada but why go over and fight for England?

"What blindness; what injustice," exclaimed Sir Wilfrid, "they should fight for themselves! No; England is not fighting for herself today," he affirmed. "It was not England that was invaded on the 3rd of August, 1914, but it was England that, on August 4, 1914, declared war on Germany to save Belgium from Prussian aggression. We heard it said that Canadians should not go and fight, but where are Canadians fighting? Where are they shedding their blood?" asked Sir Wilfrid.

"Every drop of blood shed by French-Canadians is shed on French soil, the soil of the mother country. They have given their blood that France may live, and that is why young Canadians are called upon to fight."

"I am an admirer of England," said Sir Wilfrid. "I do not say that the history of England does not contain anything to which exception may be taken. The history of France is not more exempt from errors than that of England. If it were in my power I would like to wipe out those pages of England's history which record the ill-treatment of Ireland, which are a blot on her fair name."

"The institutions of England," he said, "are the most liberal, the most chaste and the most wise that any country or government has ever known. And no country in the world can give such a disinterested testimony



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Dolls, Toys, Books, Games, China and Holiday Fancy Goods

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Cups and Saucers, 10c., 15c., 20c., 25c. to 65c.
Fancy Plates, 10c., 15c., 25c., 35c., 50c., 75c.
Berry Dishes, 15c., 25c., 35c., 40c., \$2.50.
Mugs, 5c., 10c., 15c.
Mustache Cups, 25c., 35c.
Vases, Ornaments, etc.

MECHANICAL TOYS



We want you to see our big stock of dolls—Canadian dolls, American dolls, Japanese dolls, we know we have the best values in Canada, we are told we have the best assortment in St. John. Come and see. Prices 1c. to 10c., 15c., 20c., 25c., 35c., 40c., 50c., 60c., 80c., 85c., 95c., \$1.20, \$1.45, \$1.75, \$2 to \$7.50.

TOYS



A wonderful assortment of toys at same low prices.
\$1.75, \$2.10.
Accordion, 45c.
Metallophones, 45c., 75c.
Music Boxes, 20c.
Violins, 15c.
Toy Telephone, 25c.
Doll Carriages, 45c., 60c., 80c., \$1.95, \$2.20.
Four Wheel Cart, 15c.
Wheel Barrows, 15c., 35c.
Boxes Animals, 10c., 15c.

VELOCEPDES

Rubber tires, \$2.75, \$4.25.
Folding Rocking Horse, \$1.45.
Toy Brooms, 14c.
Dust Pans, 5c., 8c.
Wash Boards, 10c., 14c.

IRON TOYS—10c., 15c., 20c., 25c. to \$2.75; Fire Engines, Hook and Ladder Truck, Automobiles, Police Patrol, Horse and Wagon, Hose Cart, Saws, Trains, etc. Iron Friction Toys, 45c., 65c., 85c.

STUFFED ANIMALS 10c., 15c., 25c., 35c. to \$2.50, including Cats, Dogs, Horses, Bears, Monkeys, etc.

HORSES AND WAGONS 40c., 70c., \$1.45, \$2.00, \$2.50. Rocking Horses, \$1.45 to \$9.50. Damaged Horses at half-price.

BULLDOZER TOY, 50c.

TINKER TOY, 70c.
Sandy Andy, 70c.
Mecano, \$1.00, \$2.00, \$4.00.
Erector, 65c. and \$1.85.
Wooden Manual Constructor, 25c.
Cube Blocks, 15c., 25c., 30c.
Picture Blocks, 15c., 20c., 30c.
Cut Out Puzzles, 8c., 14c., 20c., 30c.
A B C Blocks, 10c., 25c.
Drawing Slates, 5c., 8c., 18c.

GAMES

Fine Assortment

Soldier Games, 25c. to \$1.20.
English Army, 60c.
French Army, 60c.
Shooting Games, 15c., 25c., \$1.20.
Dominoes, 5c.
Checker Boards, 10c., 15c.
Parcheesi, 25c.
Soldier Nine Pins, 80c.
Card Games, etc.
Tinsel, 6 yard pieces, 8c., 15c., 18c., 24c.
Red and Green Raffia, 5 yards for 10c.

TREE DECORATIONS

Tinsel Ornaments, 3 for 5c., 4c. and 5c.
Green and Red Paper Balls, 3 for 5c., 2c. and 5c.
Bells, 1c., 2c., 3c., 5c.
Paper Garland, 7c., 8c.
Other Ornaments, 5c.
Tree Candles, Box, 10c.
Candle Holders, dozen, 10c.
Xmas Crackers, 25c., 35c., 50c. a dozen.
Xmas Stockings, 10c.

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Sir Wilfrid at Quebec Meeting

Eloquence Stirs French as He Speaks of Duty of All Canadians

Quebec, Dec. 8.—The historic old hall at St. Peter's market, which has been the scene of many memorable political gatherings, and in which Sir Wilfrid Laurier received the returns of the elections in 1911, was again today the scene of a notable gathering when Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the leader of the Liberal party, addressed a large meeting under the auspices of the Quebec Citizens' Recruiting Association.

Thousands of people thronged to the hall, which was all too small to accommodate the crowd. Nearly three thousand people filled it, and twice as many more gathered outside, unable to gain admission.

The meeting was most orderly in every respect, and was presided over by Sir Lomer Gouin, who is chairman of the recruiting association. Sir Wilfrid delivered a stirring appeal, declaring that when England was at war Canada was at war. He outlined the duty of all true Canadians, and affirmed that if he were a young man he would take up arms and fight for the triumph of justice and humanity.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was given a rousing reception, and was cheered to the echo as he resumed his seat.

An appeal to the young men present to join the colors was also made by Lieut. Chamuel, a returned French army officer, who announced that a French-Canadian brigade, commanded by French-Canadian officers, would shortly be formed in England.

As Sir Wilfrid concluded his speech,

Martin Madden, member of the Quebec legislature for Quebec West, presented the Liberal leader with a floral crown from the electors of the west.

In acknowledging the tribute Sir Wilfrid thanked the Irish of the Quebec division, and said he would take the bouquet to Ottawa and give it to their French compatriots there.

In his opening remarks, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that he had come to Quebec to tell the truth as he understood it, and to define the duties which belonged to Canada as a nation in the present war.

He felt proud to be again amidst his electors in the good old division of Quebec East, with which he had been associated so intimately for many years.

For twenty-eight years he had the honor of having the destinies of the

Liberal party in his hands, and for fifteen years he had had the destinies of the entire country in his hands. The Liberal party had fallen in 1911, but they had fallen with their heads high, and their left a record, against which nothing could be said.

"You all know," said Sir Wilfrid, "that the main issue in the province of Quebec at the last elections was not reciprocity but the naval question, and the cries of our adversaries were all about the navy."

"You have here over the province of Quebec," Sir Wilfrid declared, "the chairman of this meeting, Sir Lomer Gouin, and all will agree that he gives the best government that the province ever had, and no other province in Canada could compare with the province of



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Belgians are Starving While Canadians Have Plenty

Our Heroic Allies Deserve More Help than We are Giving

An accident of geography, and the fortunes of war, have subjected Belgium to the cold-blooded, calculated cruelty and attempted starvation of the German conquerors—while we in Canada, secure from danger, are making money out of the War.

Legitimate though our profits are, we surely owe a substantial share of them to our Allies, who are destitute because they dared stand up for their rights and defy the enemy.

We have given much—but barely enough to help keep the Belgians alive. More of them every week are calling for help, as their own resources are exhausted, and every one of the millions should have something more than the three slices of bread and the pint of soup which is all the Relief Commission can supply out of present contributions.


If you have been helping, do more if you can till the war is over and Belgium is free. If you have not given yet, will you make up for lost time with a substantial contribution? Better still, will you give, every month, enough to feed one of more Belgian families, at the rate of \$2.50 each per month?

Whatever you can afford to give, send your subscription weekly, monthly, or in one lump sum to Local or Provincial Committees, or

Send Cheques Payable to Treasurer **Belgian Relief Fund**
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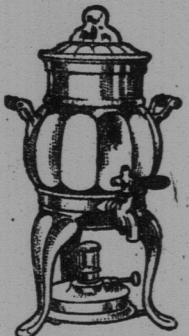
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Copper or Nickel Plated \$8.00 to \$11.00
Electric Coffee Percolators, \$15.00 to \$19.00

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Make perfect tea by the tea ball method.
Heavy Copper, Nickel Plated \$3.75 to \$9.00

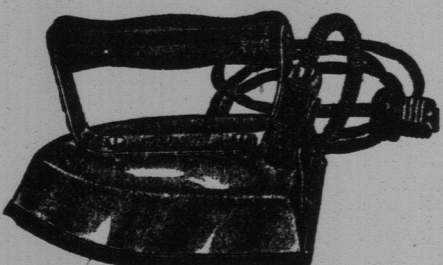


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Complete with Sterno Canned-Heat for instant cooking.



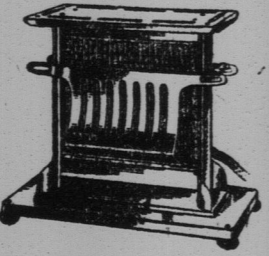
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"Canadian Beauty" \$4.00 and \$4.50
Complete with Cord and Plug.

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Make hot, crisp toast right on the breakfast table.
"Universal," as cut \$5.00
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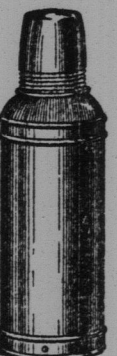
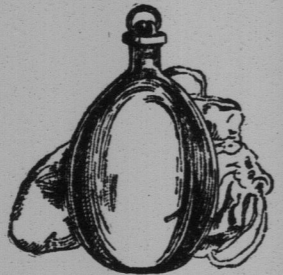


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Mahogany, Round, Oval and Oblong \$6.00 to \$9.00
Copper or Nickel Plated \$1.50 to \$3.00

Aluminum Hot Water Bottles

Complete with Cotton Felt Bag \$3.50



Vacuum Bottles

1-2 Pint \$2.25
Pint \$1.75 to \$4.00
Quart \$3.50 to \$5.50
Universal Caraffes, N. P. \$7.50
Thermos Food Jars \$2.75 to \$10.00

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United States' Protest Delivered

Washington, Dec. 8.—A note to Germany protesting against the deportations of Belgians for forced labor, as contrary to all precedents and human principles of international practice, was made public tonight by the state department.

The note was cabled to Charge Grew, at Berlin, on Nov. 29, the day Ambassador Gerard discussed the subject with President Wilson, with instructions that he read it to the German chancellor personally. In making it public the state department announced that the interview had taken place, but said nothing about results.

Note From United States.

The note, with the department's statement making it public, follows: "On Nov. 29 Mr. Grew, our charge at Berlin, was directed to obtain an interview with the German chancellor and read to him the following: "The government of the United States has learned, with the greatest concern and regret, of the policy of the German government to deport from Belgium a portion of the civilian population for the purpose of forcing them to labor in Germany, and is constrained to protest, in a friendly spirit but most solemnly, against this action, which is in contravention of all precedents and of these humane principles of international practice which have long been accepted and followed by civilized nations in their treatment of non-combatants. "Furthermore, the government of the United States is convinced that the effect of this policy, if pursued, will in all probability be fatal to the Belgian relief work so humanely planned and so successfully carried out, a result which would be generally deplored and which, it is assumed, would seriously embarrass the German government."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MATTER

Toronto, Dec. 8.—A two day session of the Presbyterian Church' Association central committee was held this week, attended by, among others, Principal Fraser of Montreal. An executive committee was named with James Turnbull, Toronto, chairman, James Roger, Montreal, vice-chairman, with sub-committees: On finance, C. S. MacDonald, chairman; on publicity, Rev. Dr. Eakin, chairman and legal measures, John MacKay, chairman.

It was decided to incorporate, with a capitalization of \$100,000 a company to issue a national weekly to stand for the preservation of the Presbyterian church. Many subscriptions have already been received. In the meantime, at regular intervals, the "Messenger" will be issued. It was decided to engage as legal advisers, in the unalterable decision to preserve the church, Blake, Leish, Anglin and Cassels, of Toronto, and Messrs. Lafleur, MacDougall and MacFarlane, Montreal.

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It's really a simple matter to renovate a face soiled by dirt, wind or cold. Ordinary mercurized wax, used like cold cream, will transform the worst complexion into one of snowy whiteness and velvety softness. It literally removes the outer veil of surface skin, but so gently, gradually, that the new skin underneath without skin comes off, not in patches, but evenly. It's the only skin treatment evidence of the treatment. The younger, healthier under-skin forming the new complexion is one of captivating loveliness. One ounce of mercurized wax, to be had at any drug store, is enough to remove any coarse, chapped, pimpled, freckled, faded or sallow skin. Apply before retiring, washing it off mornings. Many skins wrinkle easily with every wind that blows. An excellent wrinkle-remover, because it tightens the skin and strengthens relaxed muscles, is a wash lotion made as follows: powdered zinc, like 1 oz., dissolved in witch hazel, one-half pint. This gives immediate results.

EDUCATIONAL

The Associated Board of the Royal Academy of Music Royal College of Music LONDON, ENGLAND.
for Local Examinations in Music PATRON: His Majesty the King.
Music Examinations 1917 Open to the Pupils of all Teachers of Music. The Annual Examinations in Practical Music and Theory will be held throughout Canada in May and June, 1917. An examination in Theory only will be held November 15th 1916, application to be made by October 1st 1916.

An exhibition value about \$500 offered annually; also 2 Gold and 2 Silver Medals. Syllabus, Music for the examinations and all particulars may be obtained on application to M. WARREN DAVIS, 777 Water Street, Montreal. (Resident Secretary for Canada). Parents and Teachers wishing to enter their pupils for these examinations should communicate with the Secretary at once and have their names placed on mailing list.

IN ROUMANIA

Pursuit of the retreating Russians and Roumanian forces in Eastern Wallachia by Field Marshal Von Mackensen continues, but how far the Teutonic advance has progressed is not made clear in the latest official communiques. Berlin chronicles the continuation of the advance along the whole front with the capture of 13,000 prisoners and Petrograd says the Russians and Rou-

manians have been retiring since the evacuation of the Roumanian capital. Seemingly the retreating defenders of Roumanian soil are offering little resistance and are endeavoring to reach the line of the Buzo river before the Austro-Germans can break through the Moldavian frontier and get in their rear or the Bulgarians and Germans can cross the Danube around Tchernovoda and outflank them. Undeterred apparently by the checking of their offensive in the Carpathians, the Russians have again taken the initiative there, Petrograd

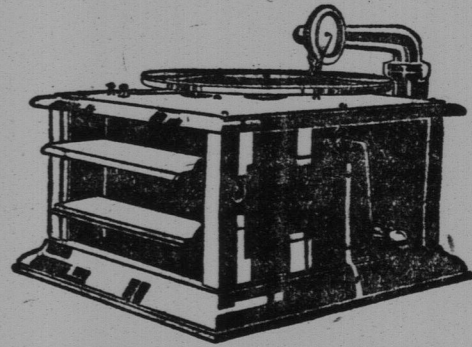
No More CURE GUARANTEED
Never known to fail; acts without pain in 24 hours. Is soothing, healing; takes the sting right out. No remedy so quick, so and sure as Putnam's Painless Corns Extractor. Sold everywhere—20c per bottle.

A tablespoonful of glycerine added to every pint of jam will prevent its crystallizing.



"A Christmas Secret"

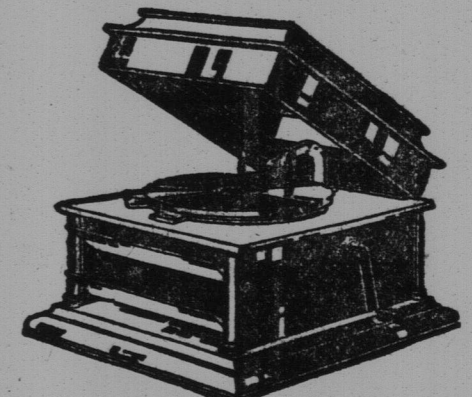
Looks as though it has had a happy ending, doesn't it? The Christmas advent of the splendid COLUMBIA GRAFONOLA is now being planned in thousands of homes. It isn't too late for yours, so why not see your dealer at once? There's simply no telling the joy, happiness and contentment this gift will bring to everyone at home.



Columbia Grafonola, price \$33
Other Grafonolas of this type, \$20

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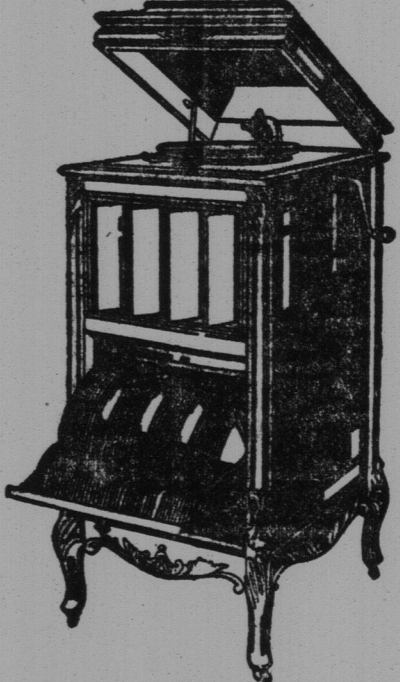
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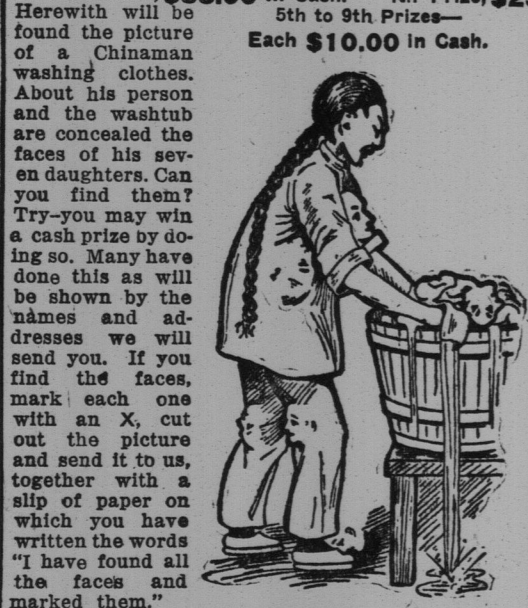
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The Political Situation in England; The Night Cables

London, Dec. 8.—Events today emphasized the fact that David Lloyd George, the new premier, has split the liberal party into two factions. The new cabinet will command more support from the Conservatives in parliament than from the Liberals.

The Liberal conference today pledged itself to support the new government, as indeed any party must do to such a crisis as Great Britain has to meet, but the old party leaders will occupy in the house of commons a place of friendly opposition and criticism. This position is not unusual in the British parliament.

Premier Asquith was the only speaker at the meeting of the Liberal party at the Reform Club this afternoon. He said his colleagues had acted according to their own dictates. In no way were they persuaded by the action he had taken in resigning.

The ex-premier emphasized the necessity and importance of giving strenuous adhesion to whatever government was in power for the purpose of bringing about what all desired—the winning of the war.

Herbert H. Asquith declared that although he had resigned the premiership he had not given up leadership of the Liberal party. The former premier, who looked remarkably well, said there had been a carefully engineered campaign against him, but he acquitted Lloyd George and his other associates in the retiring government of complicity therein.

On Friday of last week, Mr. Asquith said, he received Lloyd George's proposal for a smaller war council. The same day he replied that the prime minister must preside over such a body. Lloyd George did not agree to this, and on Sunday the Unionist members intimated they had a meeting at which they decided they could not remain in the government if he did, and that if he did not resign they would. He saw Lloyd George later and, being desirous of maintaining unity of the government, appealed to Bonar Law to remain in office.

An arrangement was then suggested that the premier should control the war policy of the government, that the war council should submit its decisions to him, and that the agenda of the war council should be submitted to him. No agreement was reached, and he undertook to write Lloyd George the next day, giving him his decision in the matter. Someone Broke Faith.

The next morning he found a statement in the newspapers that the premier was to be excluded from the war council. He believed there had been a breach of confidence, although he accepted Lloyd George's disclaimer. He wrote Lloyd George that he was not prepared to remain in the cabinet, as a spectator of the war, and that it was not possible to have a war council without the premier as chairman. After consulting with his friends he resigned.

He has since been asked, he continued, why he did not accept a subordinate position. His colleagues were unanimous in advising against it. It was pointed out that if he joined the government, which he wished complete success, the attacks would continue.

Mr. Asquith said he was of the opinion that he could serve the government to better advantage outside the cabinet, with "the sole object of lending such help as I can to the new government in the great task confronting them."

He had advised his colleagues to exercise their own judgment in the matter of joining the cabinet, and had brought no pressure to bear on them. It was humiliating to think that anybody should suggest that he was trying to restrain his colleagues from serving the new government.

"Above all," Mr. Asquith continued, "I shall do whatever I can to facilitate the task which has fallen into other hands."

A Bold Recrude.

Swearing at recruits on the parade ground may be a diversion forbidden by the king's regulations to non-commissioned officers, but the recruit who invokes the regulations must be well acquainted with them and possessed of unusual courage. A correspondent, who is in a "crack" corps, tells in the London Daily News of one effective protest with much result. The corporal was decorating his drill ground instructions with particularly offensive phrases. One of the newly joined stepped forward a pace, and turned to the two men who had been immediately flanking him: "You heard what the corporal said," he demanded, and they acquiesced. "Then I shall want you as witnesses. I am going to lay a complaint. I've been in the army before," he explained, "and I know the regulations." The support of two witnesses was the essential and the corporal noticeably improved the language under the persuasion of a strong censure from the court which heard the recruit's complaint.

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Minor Leagues Mix Schedules

American Association and International League Discard Merging of Circuit and Adopt Another Plan

New York, Dec. 6.—There will be no third Major League next year. The opposition to the plan displayed by the National league, together with the protests from clubs in the International League and the American Association would have to be discarded in the merging of those circuits has put a stop to negotiations which were originally suggested by President Johnson of the American League. But Johnson has offered another plan which probably will be adopted without serious opposition.

Next year the International League and the American Association, the most important minors in baseball, will merge their playing schedules. They will open the season earlier than usual and will play separately until August 5, when they will indulge in a series of late League games. Beginning on that date the American Association cities—Toledo, Louisville, Indianapolis, Kansas City, Columbus, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Milwaukee—will visit the International League circuit, each playing three games in Newark and a similar schedule in Buffalo, Baltimore, Providence, Rochester, Toronto, Montreal and Richmond, unless Montreal is succeeded by some other town.

To Turn About

Subsequently the International League teams will visit the American Association cities to wind up the campaign. The team winning the greatest number of games between April 15 and October 1 will be entitled to the championship. This scheme was suggested by Arthur A. Irwin nearly ten years ago. The big leagues frequently are discussed, it has been feared to experiment with it. The International League and the American Association, however, have reached the conclusion that, in view of last season's financial troubles, radical changes must be made to revive popular interest in their games.

KINGS COUNTY SOLDIERS

(Sussex Record) Lieut. W. Stirling Parlee, formerly of the 8th Hussars, enlisted with the 118th battalion, but was unable to get a commission. Accordingly he offered his services to Col. Wedderburn in any capacity in which he might be of service and was taken as battalion sergeant-major. He went overseas and remained with the 118th until it was broken up when he was transferred to the Canadian Mounted Police and his former rank given him. Lieut. Parlee made considerable sacrifice in going to the front, having been forced to leave a large farm behind him in order to go overseas.

Another Kings county man to win similar promotion is Sergt. A. E. Humphrey, son of Thomas Humphrey, Apohaqui. He too went with the 118th, but was transferred to the 112th battalion. He had no previous military experience but won his way quickly to the front by exhibiting fine military qualities.

Private Seymour Gambelin is here on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Duane Gambelin. He is a member of the 187th battalion, which is at present in Amherst. Private Gambelin is the third member of his family to enlist. He has a brother, Sergt. Murray Gambelin, with the 104th, and a sister, Miss Anna Gambelin, who has been serving at the front since the outbreak of the war. Another sister, Miss Jennie Gambelin, has offered her services at the front and will probably get there within the next call comes for trained nurses.

There was a pleasant reunion of Sussex citizens in London recently when Hon. J. A. Murray, Major L. R. Murray and Major G. S. Kinnear dined together. Major Murray was home on leave after having been for weeks in the front of the fighting on the Somme. Major G. S. Kinnear has been given a staff appointment in England at the Aldershot ranges. He is in charge of 800 men and will assist in instructing the men in the art of rifle shooting.

A calligram has been received from Major R. H. Arnold, announcing that he will soon leave England for home on furlough. Major Arnold went over with the 26th battalion and has been across the water for over a year, and saw service in France.

Lieut. Ralph Murray returned on Monday from the front and is due to report at the front again in January. Lieut. Murray is a son of Hon. J. A. and Mrs. Murray. He went with the 64th to England and was transferred to the 18th Montreal Highlanders. Lieut. Murray was in the thick of the fighting on the Somme, and was wounded in the thigh. For some time he was on crutches, but has been able to discard them. Some time ago Lieut. Murray was offered a transfer, which would have taken him out of the fighting line; but he declined the offer and elected to stay with his comrades in action. It was soon after this that he was put out of commission.

WHAT LLOYD GEORGE WILL DO In a cable to the New York Tribune, Lord Northcliffe prophesies that Lloyd George will win the war, bring happiness to Ireland and maintain friendship with the United States.

"Postpone Suicide." One army paymaster (a correspondent of the Liverpool Post relates) is congratulating himself that he has saved a life. He was just coming to his office very late one Saturday afternoon for the army paymaster's department is one of the most overworked departments—when a letter was brought to him. It was from a woman who was in receipt of an allowance, and who had fallen ill. Her money for three weeks was waiting for her at the post office, and apparently she had taken no steps to get it remitted to her, for she wrote a despairing letter to the paymaster saying that she was starving, and if money did not come to hand by Monday she would commit suicide. He was a kind-hearted man, and did not adopt a severely official attitude, even though it was late on Saturday. He sent the woman a telegram as follows:— "Kindly postpone suicide. Army money order arrives Monday."

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A GREAT WEEK-END SHOW AT THE STAR

The fourteenth chapter of "The Girl and the Game" shown at the Star Theatre last night, has been looked upon as being the most exciting instalment of this popular serial, with the exception of chapter fifteen. The title, "A Race Against Time," is clearly brought out when Helen Holmes catches up and overtakes a speeding freight train. This week several incidents occur which have a great deal of bearing on the final chapter, to be shown next week. Patrons are beginning to wonder who will marry Helen?

"Big Jim's Heart," a western story, was really on a par with the serial, inasmuch as it was full of excitement and a sort of story that appeals to all audiences.

The comedy, "Perkin's Peace Party," was extremely funny and rather appropriate owing to the preparedness idea now in force in the States.

The same show will be on tonight at seven, eight and nine o'clock.

A piece of clean chamois leather wrung out of cold water is the best dust-er for velvet or plush furniture.

RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Eliza Georgiana Marven. At the advanced age of 88 years, Mrs. Eliza Georgiana Marven, widow of W. S. Marven, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Hatheway, 71 St. James street. She was the daughter of Captain John Hamilton, Muscovy (Pa.). Her mother was a Guion, a French woman of old family. Although feeble, Mrs. Marven enjoyed good health until within a short time of her death. She was an expert in bark picture work and several specimens of her handiwork have been on exhibition in the city. Services will be held at 8 p. m. on Monday in St. John's (Stone) church.

Mrs. Whitfield Stuart. Hopewell Hill, Dec. 6.—Friends in this county have received the sad intelligence of the death of Mrs. Whitfield Stuart, of Vancouver (B. C.), who passed away at the hospital in the western city after an operation for cancer. The deceased lady was a sister of Capt. George Reid, of Harvey, and Mrs. Willard H. Reid, formerly of Harvey, now of Montreal. She was formerly Miss Annie Dickson, of Boston, and visited relatives in this county some time ago. She was a lady of many estimable traits of character, and her death is mourned with deep regret by all who knew her here. Besides her husband, who is a native of Baltimore, Albert county, the deceased is survived by one son and two daughters.

Mrs. Elizabeth Marvin. The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Marvin occurred yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Hatheway, 71 St. James street. She was eighty-eight years old. Mrs. Marvin enjoyed good health until within a short time of her death. Services will be held at three p. m. on Monday in St. John's Stone church.

Mrs. Walter Bishop passed away on Thursday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. Edward Wade, Marysville, aged thirty-five years. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. William Allen of Penniac; also three sisters, Miss D. Allen and Mrs. Edward Wade of Marysville, and Mrs. George Clayton of Gilmour and two brothers, George and Roy Allen of Penniac.

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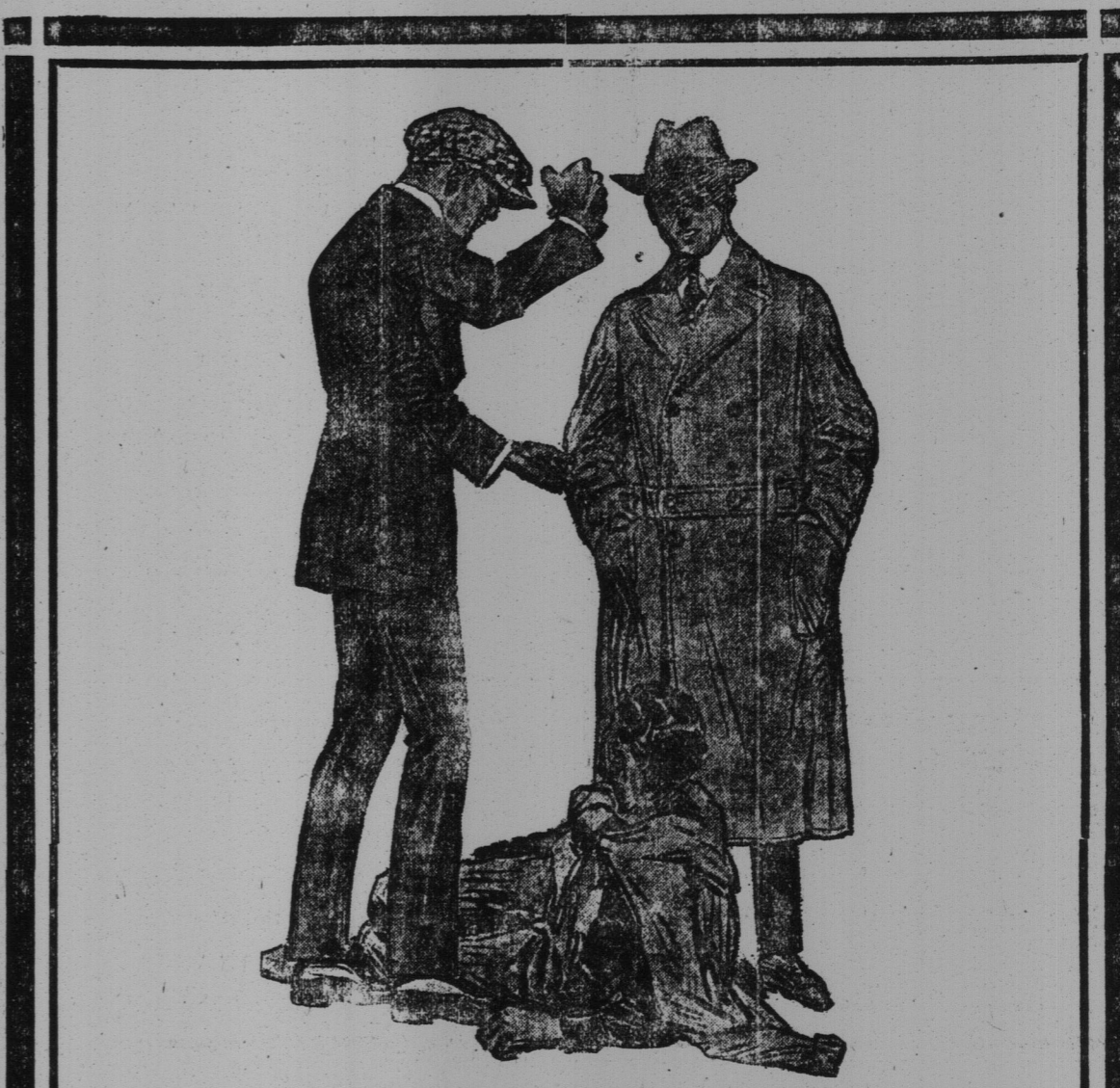
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BOWLING.
Nationals Took Three.
The first game in the second series of the City Bowling League was played on Black's alleys last evening when the Nationals took three of the four points from the Beavers. The first series was won by the Ramblers. Tonight the Tigers and Amateurs will play. The scores last night were as follows:
Nationals. Total. Avg.
Kean 97 104 89 290 99-2-3
Gilmour 85 90 89 255 86
Cosgrove 89 96 104 289 96-1-3
McMichael 92 94 99 289 95
Moore 112 96 114 322 107-1-3
475 480 466 1441
Beavers. Total. Avg.
Cooper 98 102 88 282 94-1-3
Maxwell 93 97 87 277 92-1-3
Scott 87 111 89 297 99
Ballie 61 91 81 233 77-2-3
Carleton 94 115 94 303 101
482 516 444 1392
J. Hunter White Wins.
In the opening round of the Y. M. C. A. Directors' Bowling League, composed solely of association directors, the two-man team captained by J. Hunter White took four straight points from the team headed by Harold Rising, in the association alleys yesterday afternoon. There are seven teams of two men each in the league, and matches are to be rolled every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Following is the summary:
J. Hunter White. 78 76 69 218
Geo. Warwick 79 78 78 234
157 155 147 459
Harold Rising 80 76 74 230
G. A. Henderson 81 83 46 150
184 129 120 388
BASKETBALL.
Three Games at Y. M. C. A.
The Clovers defeated the Daistes, 24 to 13, in the senior basketball schedule at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium yesterday afternoon. In the Junior A Bible study group classes two games were played. The Mohawks lost to the Victors, 9 to 6, and the Monarchs whitewashed the Wabags, 9 to 0.
BASEBALL.
Score on McGraw.
Pittsburgh, Dec. 7.—President John K. Tener of the National League and President Barney Dreyfuss of the Pittsburgh club had a meeting yesterday. Last night Dreyfuss bitterly resented the inaction of the National Commission relating to the practice of certain magnates and managers stating in the newspapers that they would like to have certain players. Dreyfuss says it is done to make the players restless. He particularly mentioned Al Mackay and President Weeghman of Chicago in saying he wanted some of the Cardinals. Dreyfuss wants the commission to penalize any owner or manager of a team who will publicly state that he would like any player that under contract to another club. He asserted he had never been guilty of that kind of a thing.
May Pass Up McGraw Charges.
New York, Dec. 7.—When the National League men get together at the Waldorf next week the charges of John McGraw against the Giants for playing indifferent ball at Ebbets' field last October may be ignored. At least that is the opinion of some of the club owners who have discussed the matter in private lately.
No formal charge of indiscretion has been lodged against McGraw with the league's board of directors as yet. The officials of the Giants openly declare that they do not expect an investigation. Inasmuch as McGraw never has accused members of his team of criminal negligence or crookedness, some of the magnates believe that the case should not be aired. They say that McGraw panicked the Giants while in the heat of passion, and that in spreading the matter before the public an attempt was made to make a mountain out of a molehill result.
Unless the directors are formally requested to probe the McGraw charges, therefore, it is confidently believed that nothing will be done.
Lee Magee To Be Married.
Lee Magee, the star outfielder of the New York Highlanders, is soon to join the ranks of the Benedictines. His engagement to Miss Beatrice Rodgers of Cincinnati is announced, and it is understood that the marriage will take place before Magee leaves on the spring training trip. Miss Rodgers is the daughter of J. C. Rodgers, once a famous oarsman.
Magee's real name is Leo Christopher Hoerschmeyer. He has decided that as his fame had been achieved under the name of Magee he might as well make that his legal cognomen, and so has applied to have this done according to law.
Umpires to Meet.
Chicago, Dec. 6.—The National Association of Professional Baseball Umpires will meet here on Dec. 10 to discuss measures for the betterment of conditions among umpires in the minor leagues.
Umpires contend that a minor league president often retains the services of six umpires, uses four and holds two for a part of the season, when they are released. This action, they assert, is unfair. They will demand the same consideration given umpires of the major leagues.
McGraw Wants Shafer Back.
New York, Dec. 7.—Another effort will be made by the Giants to coax Tilly Shafer, former third baseman, out of retirement. John Foster announced yesterday that McGraw intends to give Shafer another invitation to rejoin the team.
Violet Array for Giants.
The New York Giants next season will blossom out in violet uniforms, the same kind that they wore in 1916 when they last won the pennant. The Giants have not won since they adopted the uniforms which are cross-striped and resemble the garb worn in institutions of involuntary confinement.
The new home uniforms will be white with violet pin stripes, violet and white stockings, and white caps with violet trimmings. Perhaps, the most gorgeous touch of color in the make-up of Manager McGraw's club will be the new sweater jackets, which will be royal purple. The road uniforms will be blue and gray with violet stockings.
Besides deciding on their haberdashery for next season, the New York Club has also snared a new pitcher. They signed Sterling Stryker, an ambitious young man who made quite a name for himself last year in striking out batsmen at Atlantic Highlands. He was discovered by Andy Coakley.
RING.
Report Premature.
Paris, Dec. 6.—The report that Georges Carpentier, French aviator and champion pugilist of Europe has been given a furlough for a match in New York with Jess Willard is at least premature.
IF COAL IS TOO HIGH, WHY NOT BURN WOOD?
Interesting figures on the comparative values as fuel of the various woods and of coal have been compiled after exhaustive experiments by Prof. Karl W. Woodward, of the department of forestry at New Hampshire College at Durham. He finds that weight for weight wood has a great value as fuel as coal, while even before the sensational advances of coal prices wood might be obtained more cheaply. His report, just made public by the college, says in part: If your coal bill is too high, why not burn wood? Weight for weight wood has the same fuel value that coal has. As most wood is very much lighter than coal it means to get the same heat that coal would produce rather frequent stoking of the furnace. However, it means fuel at less cost.
Approximately, one cord of dry hickory wood is the equivalent of a ton of coal. A cord of such wood cut, ready for use, can be had at from \$7 to \$8 a cord. The next best wood is red oak, which sells for about \$8 a cord, and per cord is equivalent to three-quarters of a ton of coal. Beech, hick and maple at from \$5 to \$6 a cord are next in value, and are the equivalents of from two-thirds to three-quarters of a ton of coal. Gray birch, of which there is a good deal in New Hampshire, is equivalent to two-thirds of a ton of coal and costs from \$4 to \$4 1/2 a cord. A mixture of all of these, usually sold under the term "hard wood," is worth \$5 a cord and is the equivalent of two-thirds of a ton of coal. Pine is the equivalent of only two-fifths of a ton, but costs only \$3 to \$3 1/2 a cord.
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Enver Pasha Says Offensive There Has Not Been Abandoned

Berlin, Dec. 7.—The Turkish offensive against the Suez Canal has not been given up, and the Egyptian campaign will be resumed at the right moment. This was a statement made by War Minister Enver Pasha in a recent speech before parliament, giving a summary of the general situation.

"The Turkish army," he said, "after having eliminated the English in Iraq, collided with the Russians and has advanced in the north and west as well as on the Persian front, against the English and Russians, and has barred the gateway of Iraq. Now the Persian warlords have organized into a regular fighting force equipped by us, and are fighting on our side against the enemy."

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